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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: PAPER PRODUCTS INCLUDING SURFACE TREATED
THERMALLY BONDABLE FIBERS AND METHODS OF MAKING
THE SAME
Inventors: Hung Liang Chou et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 81 pages, including 10 independent claims and 230 claims total.
2. Drawings- 39 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-39).
3. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$750	\$ 750.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	230	-	20	210	x \$18	3,780.00
Independent Claims	10	-	3	7	x \$84	588.00
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\$4,368.00 additional claims fee.

Applicant claims the right to priority based on Provisional Patent Application No. 60/415,406 filed October 2, 2002.

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This application will be completed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) upon receiving a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

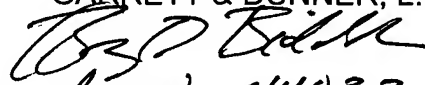
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